Claims:

- A tablet containing at least one genus of probiotic microorganisms, characterized in that the tablet itself and/or the probiotic microorganisms has/have at least one enteric coating.
- 2. The tablet according to claim 1, characterized in that the tablet is a multilayer tablet.
- 3. The tablet according to claim 1 or 2, characterized in that the probiotic microorganisms are lactobacilli, bifidus bacteria, or streptococci, preferably Lactobacillus casei, Lactobacillus acidophilus, Bifidobacterium bifidum, Bifidobacterium longum, and/or Lactobacillus plantarum.
- 4. The tablet according to one or more of claims 1 to 3, characterized in that it contains from 10³ to 10¹², preferably from 10⁵ to 10¹¹, more preferably from 10⁷ to 10¹⁰ probiotic microorganisms.
- 5. The tablet according to one or more of claims 1 to 4, characterized in that the enteric coating essentially consists of shellac or of shellac and polyvinylpyrrolidone.
- 6. The tablet according to one or more of claims 1 to 4, characterized in that the coating is comprised of at least two layers, one layer essentially consisting of hydroxypropylmethylcellulose, methylcellulose and/or polyvinylpyrrolidone, and/or one layer essentially consisting of shellac or of shellac and polyvinylpyrrolidone.
- 7. The tablet according to claim 6, characterized in that the coating is comprised of at least two layers arranged one on top of the other, the/one inner layer in the proximity of the core essentially consisting of hydroxypropylmethylcellulose, methylcellulose and/or polyvinylpyrrolidone,

- and/or the/one outer, off-core layer essentially consisting of shellac or of shellac and polyvinylpyrrolidone.
- 8. The tablet according to one or more of claims 5 to 7, characterized in that the amount of shellac is from 1 to 10 wt.-%, preferably from 1.5 to 6 wt.-%, and more preferably from 2 to 3.5 wt.-%.
- 9. The tablet according to one or more of claims 1 to 8, characterized in that it contains further nutritionally relevant additives, preferably vitamins, minerals, trace elements, roughage, enzymes, vegetable extracts, proteins, carbohydrates, and/or fats.
- 10. The tablet according to one or more of claims 1 to 9, characterized in that it contains additional adjuvants, particularly in its coating(s), preferably plasticizers, more preferably glycerol, Miglyol, mold wax, and/or acetylated monoglycerides.
- 11. A process for producing the tablet according to one or more of claims 1 to 10, characterized in that the coating is coated from an aqueous solution and/or from an organic solution, preferably from an organic solution, and more preferably from an alcoholic solution.